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## CONSIDERS REMEDY FOR OVERCROWDING

Public Utilities Commission  
Hears Views on Proposed  
Street Car Schedules.

PROVIDES REGULATIONS  
FOR RUSH-HOUR TRAVEL

Railway Officials and Representatives of Residents Discuss Conditions on Washington Lines.

The education of the public and its cooperation with the railways was declared by company officials to be a solution to the overcrowding of the street cars, at a public hearing in the boardroom of the District building today before the public utilities commission.

The hearing was to give the railway officials and the public in general a chance to present, through the commission, their views regarding a proposed schedule of the commission for street railway cars during rush hours and non-rush hours. It is provided in the proposed schedule that every standing passenger during the rush hours be allowed seven square feet of space, and that during the non-rush hours there be a seat for every passenger.

### Mr. Ham Gives Views.

W. F. Ham, vice president of the Washington Railway and Electric Company, who addressed the commission after Engineer Commissioner C. W. Kutz, as chairman of the body, had explained in detail the proposed "schedule," said the principal thing to be done is the education of the public. He said that by the co-operation of the public better conditions could be obtained on the cars. He declared the subject has received considerable investigation on the part of experts in various cities and that before any standard schedule is fixed by the commission some measure of determining what is adequate service should be taken up.

Even if there is a fixed schedule for the operation of cars during both the rush hours and non-rush hours, Mr. Ham said, there will be instances of overcrowding. He said the railway companies will be unable to prevent it.

### One Reason Cited.

The speaker called attention to the fact that during some delay on the lines persons who have been waiting for a car get on the first one that comes, although there are others closely following, with the result that the front car is overcrowded, and when the others reach the point there are not enough passengers to fill them. Conditions on the bureau of engraving and printing line, the speaker said, showed that there are always plenty of cars for the employees, but that they always take the first cars and overcrowd them. The board of directors was suggested also as a remedy to prevent overcrowding. Mr. Ham said the street cars stop at the same places, that before any standard is fixed the experts of the commission should co-operate with the railway experts to determine if there ought to be more cars. He said there are different types of cars and that one type does not permit as much room for passengers as another.

### Capital Traction Represented

J. H. Hanna, vice president of the Capital Traction Company, said it does not appear to his company that the establishment of any standard of car service is one of particularly vital necessity. "Moreover," he said, "we are of the opinion that any standard of car service, in order to be of benefit, must be flexible enough to allow variations to meet the different conditions which exist on different lines and at different times of the year."

Mr. Hanna said the division of the railway company with schedules over the proposed standard as to details and penalties believe that conferences between the commission and railway companies would be of benefit.

George C. Martin of 22 line avenue southeast, represented Washington of the International Association of Machinists, and also the steel plant, voiced his protest against the standard on the Steel Plant line and Congress Heights line.

### Speaks for Residents

Attorney L. B. Atkinson represented residents of G streets line of the Capital Traction Company, urged that the company be compelled to run the F and G street cars of vania avenue line from Pennsylvania avenue, as a year ago. He said there is no line on this, and in the fact that persons take these cars instead of the cars that run along Pennsylvania avenue.

Attorney W. McK. Clay there should be a better regulation as to the number of passengers in the cars.

Among others who spoke of the conditions were E. J. N. Congress Heights Citizens' Association, W. F. Feabody of the Citizens' Association, A. M. Reed of the Citizens' Association, and the Cathedral Heights Citizens' Association.

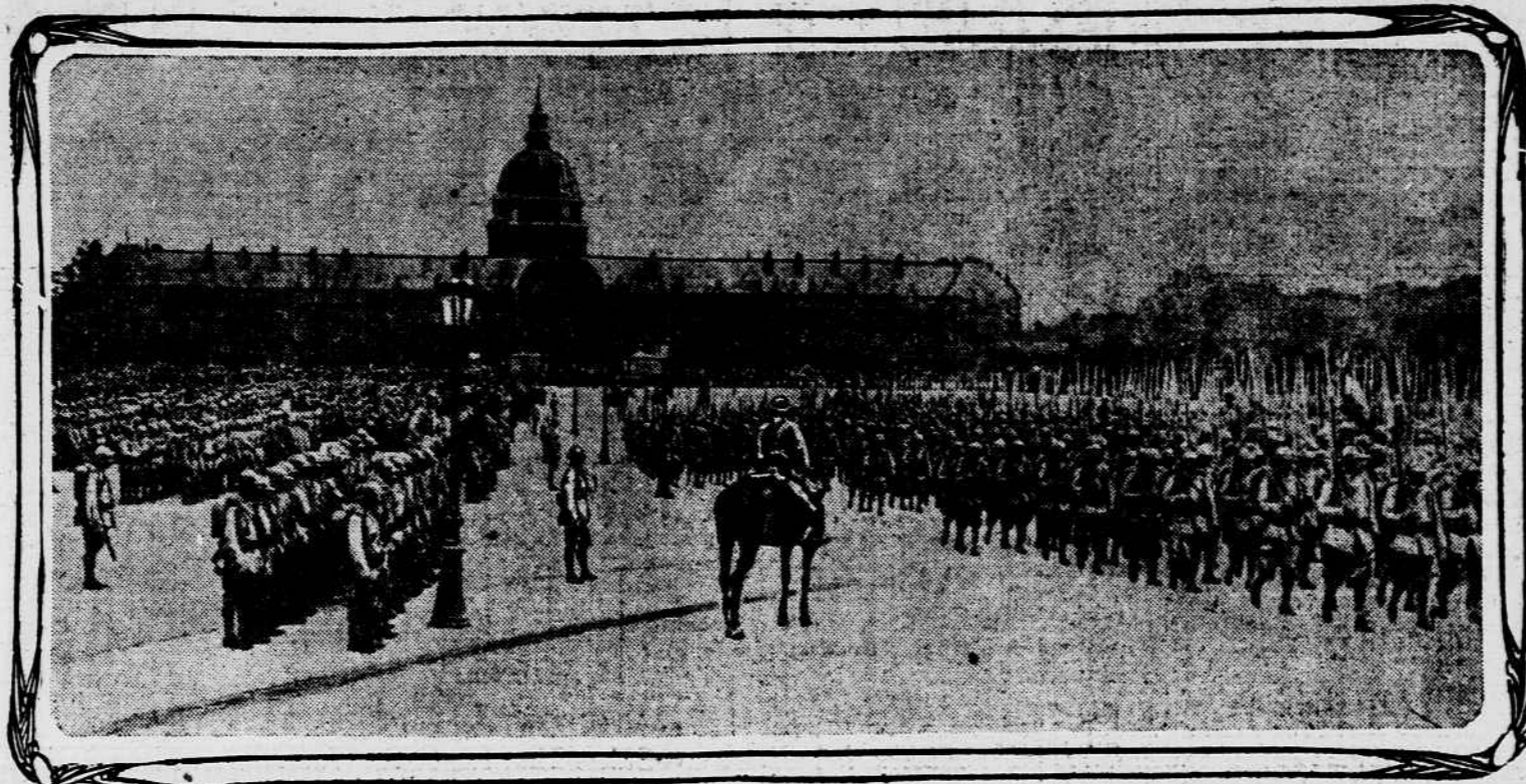
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## GEN. COUSINS REVIEWS FRENCH TROOPS BEFORE THE INVALIDES HOSPITAL IN PARIS.



## CORNELL CREW WINNER IN FRESHMAN REGATTA

First-Year Oarsmen Defeat Syracuse by About a Length and a Half of Open Water.

REGATTA COURSE, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 18.—The Cornell first-year crew won the two-mile freshman race here at noon today, defeating Syracuse by about a length and a half of open water.

Coach Ten Eyck's youngsters, after a thrilling struggle all the way up the course with Pennsylvania, won second place by about a foot. The Columbia eight finished five or six lengths in the wash of the other crews.

The race was rowed up stream in comparatively calm water, what little wind and tide there was being against the oarsmen. Cornell took the lead at the start and was never headed.

Near the finish line the Courtney crew spurred and quickly pulled away from the Syracuse and Pennsylvania crews, which were fighting hard for second position. The two shells powerfully led with the stroke and as they crossed the line the Syracuse crew caught the judges' eye with a foot lead over the Quakers.

Columbia's eight was unable to hold the pace set by the leaders, and was last throughout, the greatest portion of the race, finishing between five and six lengths in the rear of the winners.

Official time: Cornell, 11:05.4; Syracuse, 11:15.2; Pennsylvania, 11:16.1; Columbia, 11:29.2-5.

### GETS VERDICT FOR \$1,250.

F. A. Downer Awarded Damages for Humiliating Arrest by Policeman.

A verdict for \$1,250 damages against Boston Castle, a policeman, was rendered today by a jury in Circuit Division No. 1, before Justice Gould, in favor of Francis A. Downer, who was placed under arrest by him January 22, 1914, and who brought suit to recover \$20,000 damages for alleged false arrest.

Downer, who is a resident of Cambridge, Mass., brought suit to recover \$20,000 damages for alleged false arrest, and after hearing the testimony of the plaintiff the jury fixed her damages at \$1,250. The plaintiff told the jury that the policeman knew she was not without means and, despite her offer to give any security demanded, required her to enter a police station. When the case was called in the Police Court she was declared not guilty, she asserted.

Attorney N. S. Bowles appeared for the plaintiff.

### Shoots Negro; Is Exonerated.

Awakened by the stampeding of cattle in his barn early yesterday morning, John H. Meile, fifty-five years old, 2607 Benning road, left his bed and went to the building to make an investigation. He found an intruder in the person of Harry Lancaster, colored, a resident of Kane place, Denwood, and one of two shots he fired struck the colored man and killed him almost instantly.

An inquest was held over the colored man's body at the morgue today. Several witnesses were heard, and the jury reported a verdict exonerating Mr. Meile.

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## KHANIKIN IS GATEWAY FOR CARAVANS OF EAST

Occupies Important Commercial Position Between Persia and Asiatic Turkey.

The Khanikin region, where the Russians are reported to have been checked in their advance upon Bagdad, is the subject of the following war geography bulletin issued by the National Geographic Society.

"It is a thirty-two hour journey, along a much-traveled caravan route, from Khanikin to Bagdad. The latter city lies eighty-five miles southwest of the Turkish border town which is situated on both sides of the Hulan river, a tributary of the Diale, whose waters empty into the Tigris."

"Nesting near the foothills of the Zagros mountains, with the fertile but uncultivated Mesopotamian plain stretching to the south, Khanikin is a commercial gateway between Persia and Asiatic Turkey. Through it pass the caravans which carry the produce destined for transshipment to the port of Basra on the Persian gulf. To the east lies Kermanshah, famous for its carpets and its horses, and situated almost equidistant from Tabriz, Teheran, Isfahan and Bagdad."

### Meets Funeral Processions.

"Not only does the traveler journey from Bagdad to Khanikin meet trade caravans, but frequently he encounters curious funeral processions of Shiite pilgrims making their solemn way from various points in Kurdistan to Kerbela, below Bagdad. The faithful believe that there is special virtue in being buried near the shrine of Hussein, who fell at Kerbela in 680 A.D., while battling with the enemies of his father, Ali, son-in-law of the prophet and fourth caliph."

"Khanikin is charmingly situated in the midst of gardens whose fruits and palms are famous. Six hours' journey from here, on the road to Kermanshah, is Kasr-i-Shirin, once the headquarters of a notorious robber chief and interesting on account of its connection with the romantic legends concerning Ferhad and Shirin. Here are to be found the remains of a rock-hewn aqueduct which in ancient days conveyed water for a distance of fifteen miles in order that the gardens of Shirin might be irrigated."

### Believe David Lived Near.

"In this neighborhood is Sar-i-Fulzhab, where the Ali Iblahis believe David lived and where a rock-hewn tomb is a place of pilgrimage. This sect, supposed to believe in the successive reincarnation of the Godhead through 1,001 existences, had a remarkable beginning, for it is recorded that Ali, who is held to be their god, repudiated the worship of his would-be followers, and when Abdullah ibn Saba, an Arab, proclaimed him to be God the disciple and those who joined in protestations of reverence were ordered cast into a pit where fire was thrown upon them. While the burning brands descended upon the sects they cried out in their agony, 'Now is the certainty of all certainty that thou art God, for the prophet has said: "None but God shall punish with fire."'"

"Within another month the soldiers of the car will cease to be afflicted with one of the greatest insect pests of this region—the fleas which breed by the millions in the dust and sand of the Kurdish plains. They disappear in July and do not return to harry their human victims until spring."

### Asks President to Act.

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### Closing Year's School Business.

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A S P L E N D I D opportunity to secure one or more pairs of these Popular, Dressy "Foot-Form" Pumps at a material saving.

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## BRIGADE OR REGIMENT OFFERED THE PRESIDENT

Commander Lake of the Army  
and Navy Union Renews  
Tender.

Renewal of an offer of a regiment or a brigade of seasoned and trained soldiers was today made to President Wilson by H. Oden Lake, national commander of the Army and Navy Union. In the event of the President accepting the offer, Commander Lake explains that a regiment can be mobilized in thirty days or a brigade in sixty days.

He says, in part, in his letter to the President: "A year ago or more I, as the official representative of the Army and Navy Union, U. S. A., a veteran organization composed principally of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, of the regular United States service, tendered you the services of the organization as a military body in the event that a contingency should arise between the United States and Mexico. "Honorable sir, that contingency seems inevitable and I again herewith tender you the service of a regiment, or a brigade, of seasoned and trained soldiers of a military age and physically qualified, 50 per cent of whom have been honorably discharged from the regular military and naval forces of the United States with not less than three years' service."

Commander Lake also issued instructions to department commanders of states to assemble immediately the local garrisons under their command and to choose from them those of a military age and physically qualified for military service, form them into skeleton companies, under the command of their garrison officers, and to hold them in readiness for emergencies.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 18.—Lower California will remain neutral in the event of hostilities between the United States and Mexico, according to advice received here today from Col. Esteban Cantu, military governor of the territory.

Capital.....\$1,000,000  
Earning Surplus.....\$1,000,000

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## SERIES OF MATCHES OPEN TO LOCAL RIFLE CLUBS

Use of Ranges in Poli's Theater  
Basement Tendered by National Association.

All local rifle clubs are invited to participate in the series of matches to be conducted by the National Rifle Association in the range in the basement of Poli's Theater, from June 26 until July 15. Teams are to consist of four men, and a club may enter as many teams as it desires in the matches.

Three stages are to be shot, one for each week the series is to last. For the week ending July 1 contestants will fire ten shots at slow fire in a standing position. For the week ending July 8 the course will be ten shots at slow fire in a prone position, and for the week ending July 15 contestants will fire ten shots in a prone position at timed fire. Other conditions have not yet been arranged.

During the matches, which will be conducted on the E street range, the 15th street range will be open for practice. Maj. Fred H. Phillips, secretary of the National Rifle Association, is in charge of the matches. Sergt. A. B. Hale is in charge of the ranges.

### Law Delays Mrs. Astor's Wedding.

BAR HARBOR, Me., June 18.—The intentions of marriage of Mrs. John Jacob Astor, whose husband was lost in the Titanic disaster, and William K. Dick of New York, a wealthy sugar refiner, were clerk Saturday at the office of the town clerk of Eden. As the law provides that five days must elapse after intentions are filed before a marriage license can be issued, next Thursday is the earliest date on which the ceremony can be performed in this state.

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**Waxed Lunch Paper** 3 1/2c  
Per Package.....

**"Snap" Parlor**  
Brooms. Each..... 19c

Chum Salmon, can..... 9c

Argo Salmon, can..... 15c

Van Camp's Tuna Fish, small..... 12c

Van Camp's Tuna Fish, large..... 18c

Banquet Asparagus, can..... 17 1/2c

Del Monte Asparagus Tips..... 19c

Spanish Pimientos, 1/4 size..... 11c

Spanish Pimientos, 1/2 size..... 20c

Van Camp's Spaghetti, No. 1..... 7 1/2c

Van Camp's Spaghetti, No. 2..... 12 1/2c

Standard Tomatoes, can..... 10c

Shrimp, dry pack, can..... 10c

Curtice Bros. Boned Chicken, can..... 33c

Curtice Bros. Boned Turkey, can..... 33c

Takhoma Biscuits, pkg..... 4c

Pet Milk, small..... 4 1/2c

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Challenge Milk..... 11c

Eagle Milk..... 14c

Safety Matches, dozen..... 7c

Blue Hen Matches, dozen..... 17c

Black and White Matches..... 19c

French's Cream Salad Mustard..... 9c

Gulden's Prepared Mustard..... 18c

Howard's Salad Dressing..... 20c

Hershey's Cocoa, 1/2 lb..... 15c

Walter Baker's Cocoa, 1/2 lb..... 18c

Walter Baker's Cocoa, 1-5 lb..... 9c

Dromedary Fresh Keeping Cocoa-nut, package..... 4c and 8c

Washington Crisps..... 8c

Post Toasties..... 8c

Famous "Beaufont" Ginger Ale  
2 Bottles 15c  
for

Cream of Wheat, Pkg., 14c

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One Quart of Finest Grape Juice. Bottle. 25c  
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